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**Subject:** FW: [Non-DoD Source] BUMED False Reporting? FOIA Fee Waiver Disposition Reached for DON-NAVY-2016-000246  
**Date:** Friday, September 29, 2017 16:20:34

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Chris,

The below maybe of interest to you. Should you wish any requester historical information, please feel free to consult Richard or myself.

Respectfully,

R. Patterson  
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From: (b) (6) @aol.com [[mailto:\(b\) \(6\) @aol.com](#)]  
Sent: Thursday, September 28, 2017 3:34 PM  
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Subject: [Non-DoD Source] BUMED False Reporting? FOIA Fee Waiver Disposition Reached for DON-NAVY-2016-000246

Dear Vice Admiral Faison, Rear Admiral Moulton, Ms. Chung, Ms. Allard,

With deep respect, please see the email below that I received today. From the perspective of the accuracy and integrity of BUMED, DON JAG, DON FOIA processes and reporting through DOD to the Attorney General of the United States - not good. Potentially premeditated. Gets worse.

I have similar concerns regarding the accuracy and integrity of BUMED/DON Privacy Act reporting through DOD to Congress.

Please address this as to the accuracy and integrity of the BUMED/DON FOIA process and reporting of this Request/Appeal and whether or not there is willful false reporting plus an attempt to cover up same. DOD has all records contained in my appeal, along with the DON JAG reply, which I may address later. Ugly.

Ms, Chung, Ms. Allard, this is a DoD matter. I will greatly appreciate knowing your findings.

With my deep respect,

Robert Hammond

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From: (b) (6) @navy.mil

To: (b) (6) @aol.com  
Sent: 9/28/2017 8:56:33 AM Eastern Standard Time  
Subject: FOIA Fee Waiver Disposition Reached for DON-NAVY-2016-000246

Your request for Fee Waiver for the FOIA request DON-NAVY-2016-000246 has been partially granted with \$ 0.0 waived. Additional details for this request are as follows:

- \* Request Created on: 10/14/2015
- \* Fee Waiver Disposition Reason: This request is a partial grant and part denied
- \* Request Long Description: THIS IS AN APPEAL, NOT A FOIA REQUEST. I am appealing my FOIA request of September 14, 2014 to BUMED (which is shown at page 12 of the attached PDF) seeking the Walter Reed National Military Medical Center (WRNMMC) Fiscal Year 2012 Annual FOIA Report Submission. Basis for Appeal. This request remains open and unanswered, and I have not been provided an FY 2014 case tracking number. Despite factually inaccurate assertions by Ms. Patterson in the attachment, BUMED has not provided a reply to this FOIA request, nor has there been any letter of referral to Walter Reed National Military Medical Center. No responsive documents have been provided. I am further asserting that my FOIA request was not included in the DON FY 2014 Annual FOIA Report Submission to the Attorney General, nor has it been included in the FY 2015 submission. As shown in the attachment, DON is aware that this FOIA request has not been included in its Annual FOIA Report submission. Please address this matter in your response to my appeal.